# Google Cloud for Scientific Infrastructure

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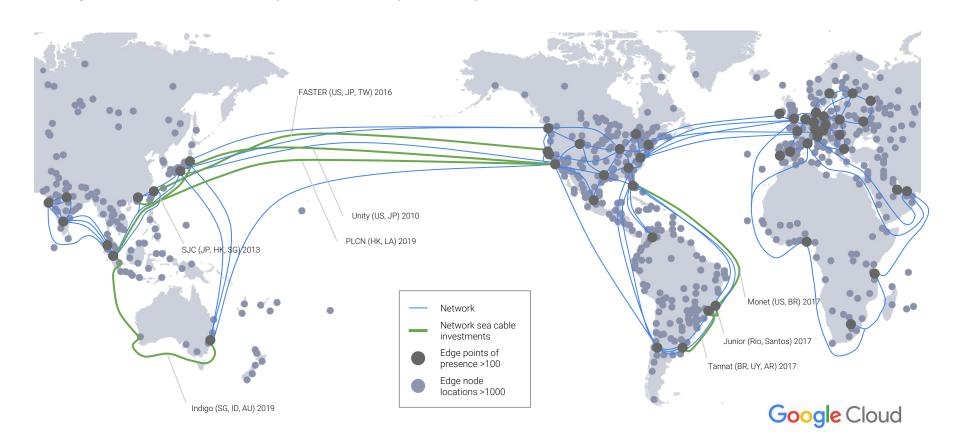
### Google Cloud Platform Regions

Select from 13 regions. 5 new regions coming in 2018.



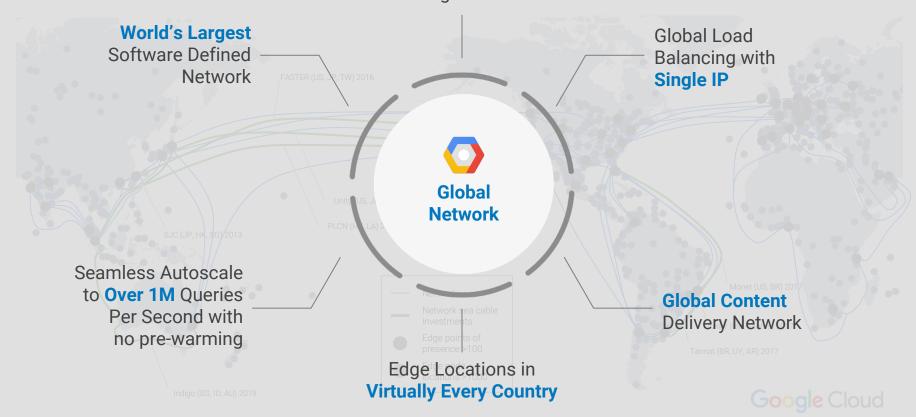
### Google Cloud Network

The largest cloud network, comprised of >100 points of presence



### Google Cloud Network

The largest cloud network, comprised of >100 po More than 100e Peering Locations



# Google Cloud Platform



# Agenda

Compute

Data

Machine Learning

Academic / Research Programs

# Compute



### Infrastructure

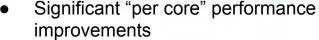
**Lightning fast & scalable:** Fast VM startup time, millisecond access for all storage classes, high IOPS for VCPUs, high bandwidth global networking

**Reliable**: Built-in redundancy and scale, live Migration, Google Site Reliability Engineering for your workload.

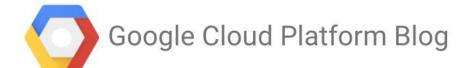
**Customer friendly pricing:** simple and efficient: Pay-per-second, custom VMs, automatic discounts, flexible buy-in-bulk discounts

**Geographic coverage:** 11 new regions in 2017-18 for a total of 17, HA in each region





- Intel® Advanced Vector Extension 51: (Intel® AVX-512)
  - 2x flops/second
- Accelerated IO with Intel® Omni-Path Architecture (Fabric)
- Integrated Intel® QuickAssist Technology (crypto & compression offload)
- Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT) for Efficiency & TCO



Product updates, customer stories, and tips and tricks on Google Cloud Platform

# Google Cloud Platform is the first cloud provider to offer Intel Skylake

Friday, February 24, 2017

By Urs Hölzle, Senior Vice President, Google Cloud Infrastructure

I'm excited to announce that Google Cloud Platform (GCP) is the first cloud provider to offer the next generation Intel Xeon processor, codenamed Skylake.

### Hardware Accelerated



- Available Today: NVIDIA K80 GPU, P100s
- Coming Soon: Tensor Processing
   Unit (TPU)
- Custom ASIC built and optimized for TensorFlow
- Used in production at Google for over 16 months
- 7 years ahead of GPU performance per watt

Google Cloud



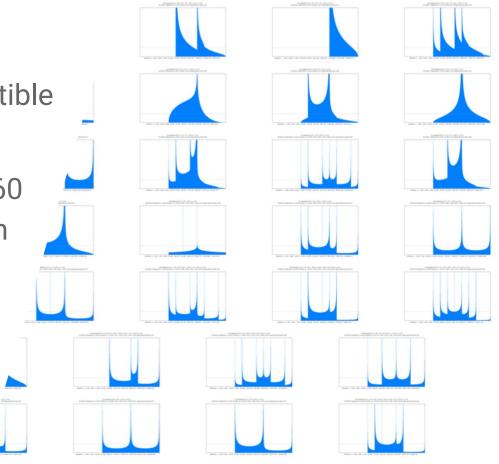
MIT Research w/ VMs

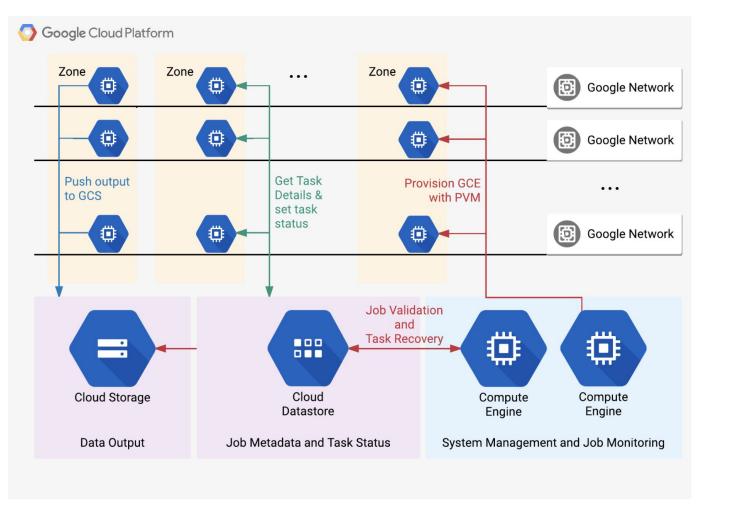
220,000 cores on preemptible VMs

2,250 32-core instances, 60 CPU-years of computation in a single afternoon

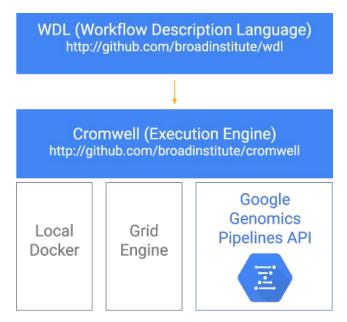
Answers in hours v. months

Products used: Google Compute Engine, Cloud Storage, DataStore





# Broad Firecloud: WDL, Cromwell and Google Genomics



A full stack for use by the community! See software.broadinstitute.org/wdl

WDL: an external DSL used by computational biologists to express the analytical pipelines

Cromwell: a scalable, robust engine for executing WDL against pluggable backends including local, Docker, Grid Engine or ...

Google Genomics Pipelines API: co-developed by Broad and Google Genomics, a scalable Docker-as-a-Service with data scheduling

### Pipeline definition

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  "minimumRamGb": 1,
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    "sizeGb": 200,
    "mountPoint": "/mnt/data",
},
"docker": {
  "imageName": "quay.io/cancercollaboratory/dockstore-tool-samtools-index",
  "cmd": "samtools index /mnt/data/input.bam /mnt/data/output.bam.bai"
```

### Create, run, monitor, and kill pipelines

### Create

```
$ gcloud alpha genomics pipelines create --pipeline-json-file PIPELINE-FILE.json --pipeline-json-file samtools_index.json Created samtools index, id: PIPELINE-ID
```

#### Run

```
$ gcloud alpha genomics pipelines run --pipeline_id PIPELINE-ID \
--logging gs://YOUR-BUCKET/YOUR-DIRECTORY/logs \
--inputs inputFile=gs://genomics-public-data/gatk-examples/example1/NA12878_chr22.bam \
--outputs outputFile=gs://YOUR-BUCKET/YOUR-DIRECTORY/output/NA12878_chr22.bam.bai
Running: operations/OPERATION-ID
```

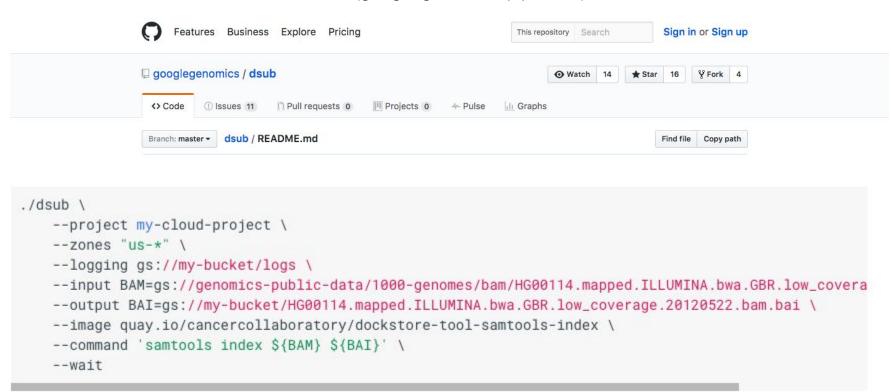
### Status

\$ gcloud alpha genomics operations describe OPERATION-ID

#### Kill

\$ gcloud alpha genomics operations cancel OPERATION-ID

### DSUB (google genomics pipelines)

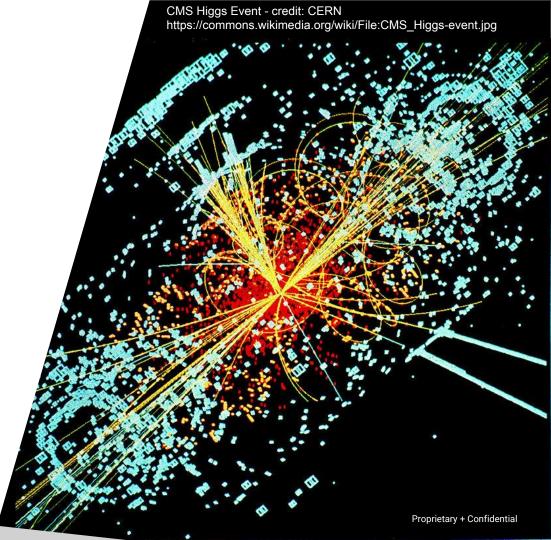


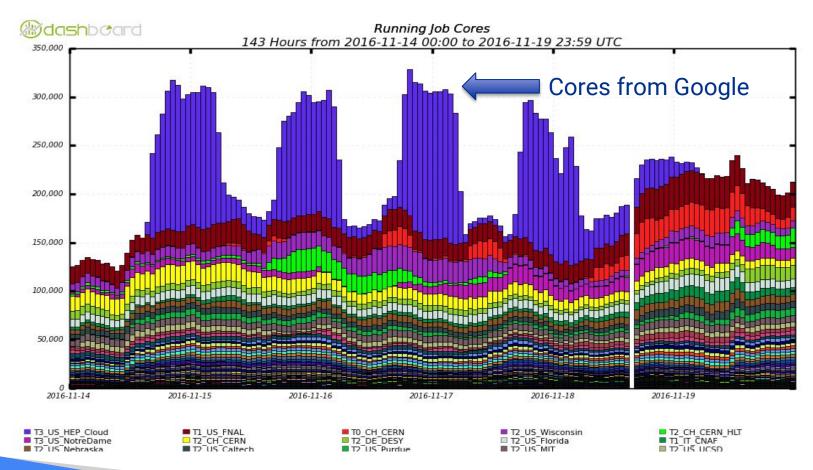
# SC16 CMS Demonstrator

Target: generate 1 Billion events in 48 hours during Supercomputing 2016 on Google Cloud via HEPCloud

35% filter efficiency = stage out 380 million events → 150 TB output

Double the size of global CMS computing resources





## On-prem vs. Cloud

Average cost per core-hour (~25% error)

- On-premises Fermilab:
   0.9 cents per core-hour
   (assumes 100% utilization)
- Google Cloud:
   1.6 cents per core-hour
   (comparable to other vendors)

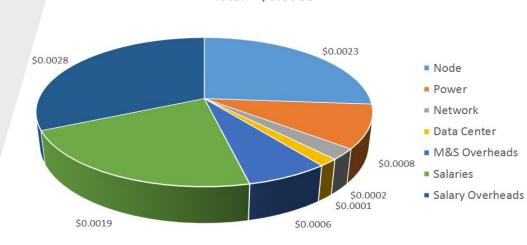
Fermilab has years of experience in optimizing its facility

Cloud costs larger, but approaching equivalence

Considered well worth the cost of adding 160,000 core in a few hours

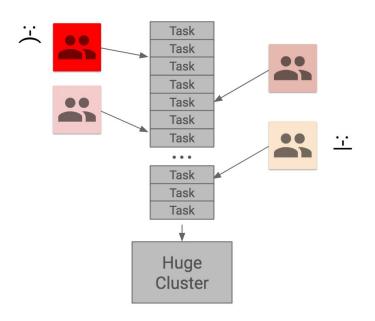
### Fermilab CMS Tier1 Costs

Cost per core-hour Total = \$0.0088

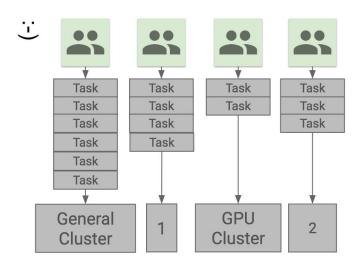


### Task Tailored Resources

**On-prem**: One cluster, one queue, one size fits all hardware, angry users.



In the cloud: Tailored clusters, less queue sharing, happy users.



- 1 n1-highcpu-16, Preemptible VM Cluster
- 2 n1-highmem-32 Cluster

## Preemptible VM Instances

### What Preemptible VMs are

- Up to 80% cheaper than regular VMs. (~\$0.01 per core hour)
- Very easy to use -- just flip one switch in the UI, API or command line
- Many of our biggest customers run huge clusters (10k+ cores) with great success and savings.

### Things to keep in mind

- Same great disk, OS images and network
- Google Compute Engine can preempt (i.e. shutdown/take-away) the VM with 30 seconds of notice
- Maximum 24 hours of uptime
- No SLAs or guarantees of any kind but we historically see preemption rates of 5-15%

# Data

## Fully Managed Storage & Database Services

Object



Cloud Storage

Binary or object data

Images, Media serving, backups

Key-value



**App Engine Memcache** 

Web/mobile applications, gaming

Game state,

Non-relational



Cloud Datastore

Hierarchical, mobile, web

User profiles, Game State

Cloud Bigtable

Heavy read + write, events

AdTech, Financial, IoT Relational



Cloud SQL

Web frameworks

CMS, eCommerce



Cloud Spanner

RDBMS+scale, HA, HTAP

Transactions, Ad/Fin/MarTech Warehouse



**BigQuery** 

Enterprise Data Warehouse

> Analytics, Dashboards

# Block storage

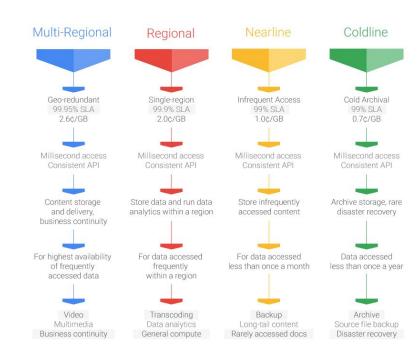
Reliable, high-performance block storage for any GCE VM instance

		Local SSD Fastest, Attached, Ephemeral	Persistent Disk: SSD Fast, Persistent, Durable, Remote	Persistent Disk: HDD Cheapest, Persistent, Durable, Remote
	Target scenarios	<ul> <li>High-performance scratch space.</li> <li>Frequently accessed data.</li> <li>Excellent for scientific workloads, especially when combined with fast compute VMs like GPU instances</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Latency sensitive applications and files.</li> <li>High performance database and enterprise applications</li> <li>Databases</li> </ul>	- Large data processing workloads - Latency incentive tasks with lots of data: Genomics processing, video transcoding in GCE
	Features	- Ephemeral storage - Highest-performance (\$0.218 GB) - <b>IOPS:</b> 680k read / 360k write		- Persistent storage - Cost sensitive (\$.04 GB) - <b>IOPS:</b> 3k read / 15k write
		Encryption 3TB - 375 GB per partition, up to 8 partitions	Encryption, Snapshots 64 TB, Disk Size sets performance (Attach larger VMs for max SSD performance)	

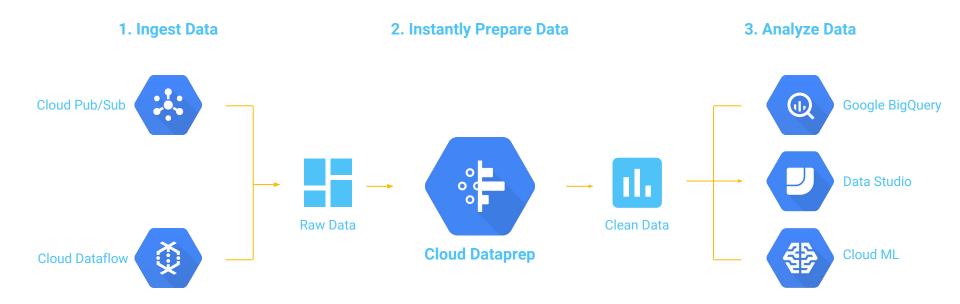
## GCS: Object/Blob store

- Google Cloud Storage is a scalable object storage service suitable for all kinds of unstructured data
- Cloud Storage vs Perst. Disk:
  - Scales to exabytes
  - Accessible from anywhere; REST interface
  - Higher latency than PD
  - Write semantics include insert and overwrite file only
  - Offers versioning
  - Cheaper put your data here until you need it
- Lots of guidelines on picking storage on our <u>site</u>

### Google Cloud Storage Classes



### Data Prep



Google Cloud

Proprietary + Confidential

### **Cloud Dataprep**

#### **Instant Data Exploration**

Visually explore and interact with data in seconds. Instantly understand data distribution and patterns. There is no need for one to write code. You can prepare data with a few clicks.

### **Intelligent Data Cleansing**

Cloud Dataprep automatically identifies data anomalies and helps you to take corrective actions fast. Get data transformation suggestions based on your usage pattern. Standardize, structure, and join datasets easily with a guided approach.

#### **Serverless**

Cloud Dataprep is a serverless service, so you do not need to create or manage infrastructure.

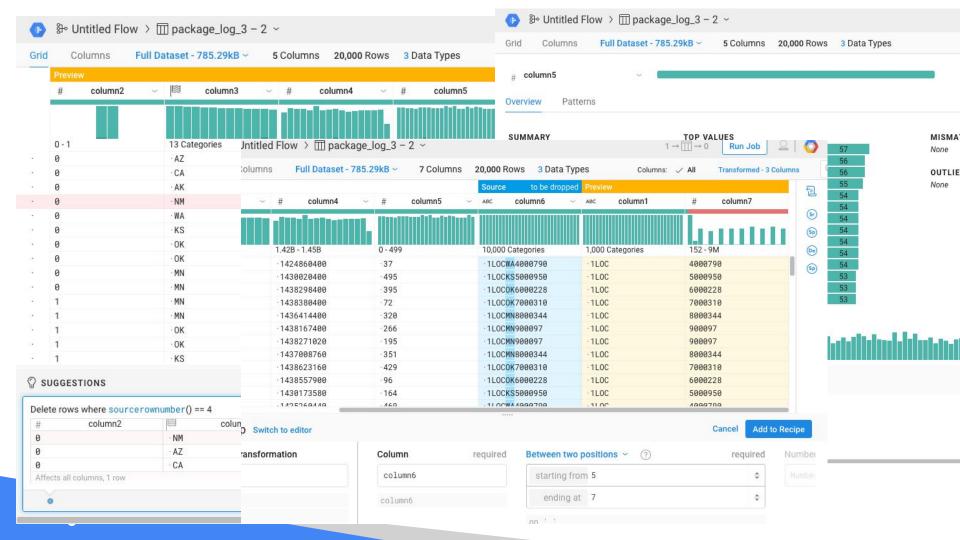
### **Seriously Powerful**

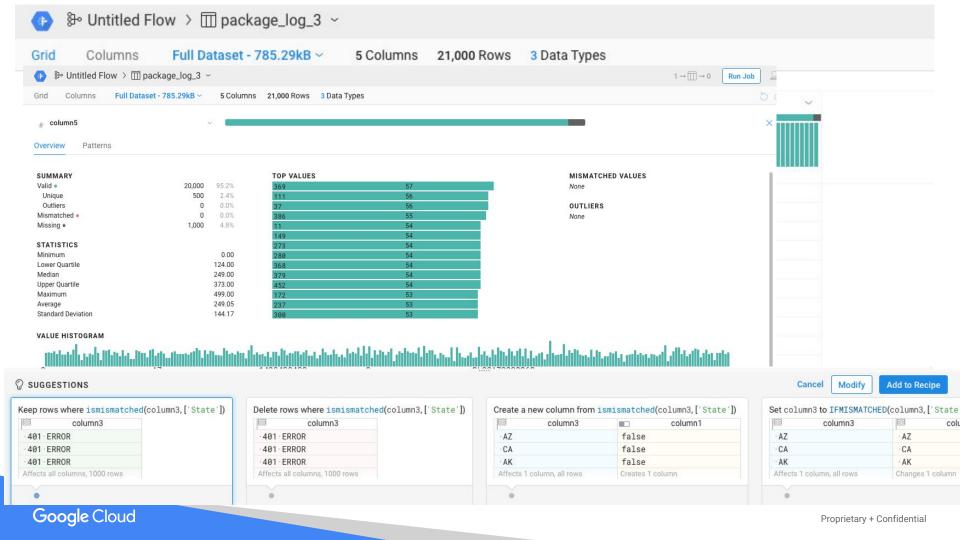
Cloud Dataprep is built on top of powerful Google Cloud Dataflow service. Cloud Dataprep is auto-scalable and can easily handle processing massive data sets.



### **Supports Common Data Sources of Any Size**

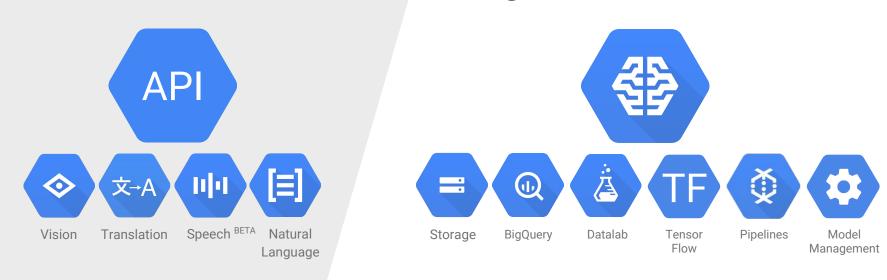
Process diverse datasets - structured and unstructured. Transform data stored in CSV, JSON, or relational Table formats. Prepare datasets of any size, megabytes to terabytes, with equal ease.





# Machine Learning

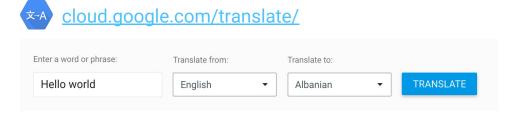
# Two flavors of machine learning



Pre-Trained Models

# Build Your Own Model

# Google Cloud Machine Learning Services

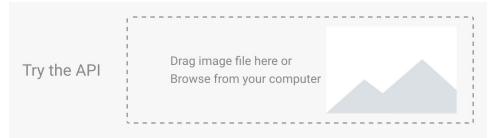




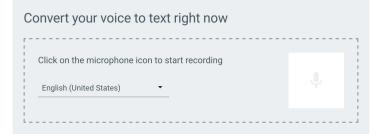
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phone at the Consumer Electronic Show. Sundar Pichai said in his keynote that users love their new Android phones. Enter text in English, Spanish or Japanese







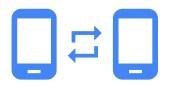


# Cloud ML Engine



- PaaS for Tensorflow
- Scale your training up to 100 workers
- Automatic monitoring and logging
- Easy transition from training to **prediction**
- Built in model version management
- No lock-in. Option to download your trained models for on-premise or mobile deployment

## CloudML is part of a bigger picture



Capture

Pub/Sub



Store

Cloud Storage

BigQuery

Cloud SQL

Datastore

BigTable



**Process** 

Dataflow Dataproc



Analyze

BigQuery

Dataflow

Datalab



Insight

Cloud ML Engine

### TensorFlow



- World's most popular ML framework
- Developer friendly yet performance optimized
- Powers over 100 Google services
- Managed infrastructure with Cloud ML
- Tutorials at https://www.tensorflow.org

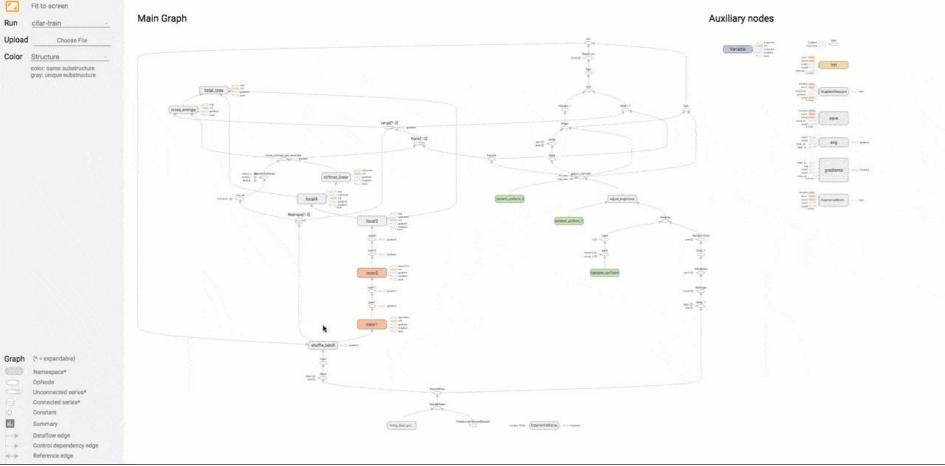
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1 import tensorflow as tf
 3 #Define input feature columns
 4 sq footage = tf.contrib.layers.real valued column("sq footage")
 5 feature_columns = [sq_footage]
 7 #Define input function
8 def input_fn(feature_data, label_data=None):
     return {"sq_footage":feature_data}, label_data
10
  #Instantiate Linear Regression Model
12 estimator = tf.contrib.learn.LinearRegressor(
     feature columns=feature columns,
    optimizer=tf.train.FtrlOptimizer(learning_rate=100))
16 #Train
17 estimator.fit(
     input_fn=lambda:input_fn(tf.constant([1000,2000]),
                              tf.constant([100000,200000])),
19
     steps=100)
22 #Predict
23 estimator.predict(input_fn=lambda: input_fn(tf.constant([3000])))
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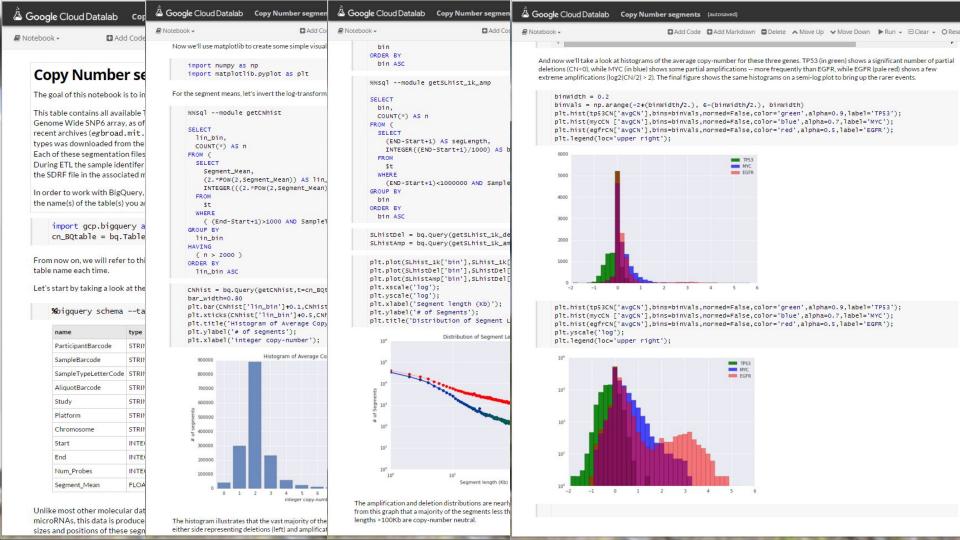
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8 def input fn(feature data, label data=None):
     return {"sq_footage":feature_data}, label_data
  #Instantiate Neural Network Model
  estimator = tf.contrib.learn.DNNRegressor(
     feature_columns=feature_columns, hidden_units=[10,10])
14
16 #Train
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TensorBoard

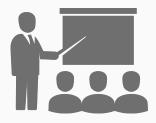
EVENTS IMAGES GRAPH HISTOGRAMS

Auvillant nodes





# Programs



Teaching











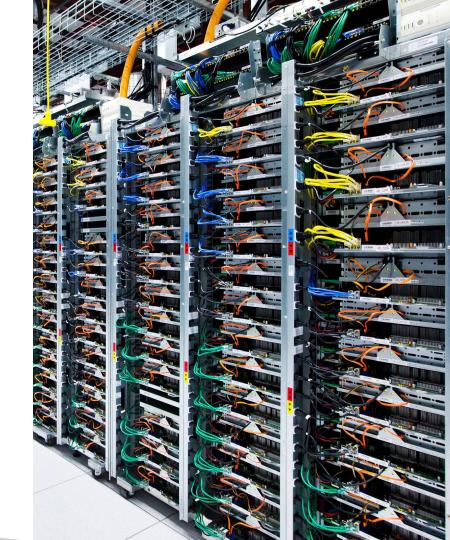
Faculty in select countries

Teaching university courses

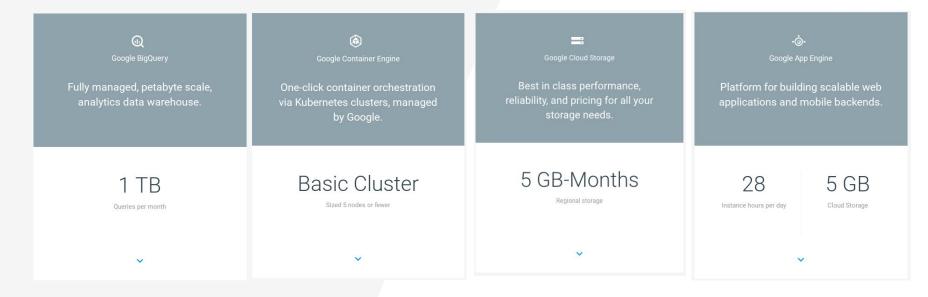
In computer science or related fields

# Funding Agency Partnerships

- National Science
   Foundation
  - BIGDATA
- National Institutes of Health
  - Data Commons



# Google Cloud Platform Free Tier





### Google Cloud Public Datasets Program

### Mission:

Facilitate the onboarding of datasets into Google Cloud products







# Thank you

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